

### III. REMARKS


Claim 1 is amended. Claim 7 is allowed.

Claim 1 is amended to overcome the 35 USC 112 rejection and is now allowable. Claims 2-6 are allowable at least by reason of their respective dependencies.

For all of the foregoing reasons, it is respectfully submitted that all of the claims now present in the application are clearly novel and patentable over the prior art of record, and are in proper form for allowance. Accordingly, favorable reconsideration and allowance is respectfully requested. Should any unresolved issues remain, the Examiner is invited to call Applicants' attorney at the telephone number indicated below.

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